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Appln. No.: 09/985,921

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Confirmation No.: 4568

Examiner: Lenard A. Footland

Filed: November 06, 2001

For: ROLLING BEARING DEVICE AND RING WITH SENSOR FOR THE ROLLING BEARING DEVICE

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

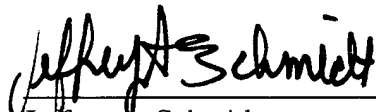
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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicants hereby petition for an extension of time of three months, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of June 4, 2003 to December 4, 2003.

A check for the statutory fee of \$950.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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